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In re application of:  
**Takashi MINAMI, et al.**  
 Serial No: 09/468,581  
 Filed: December 20, 1999  
 For: **MULTI-MONITOR, AUXILLARY MONITOR, AND MONITOR SUPPORTER**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 3, 2001, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel claims 1-2, 11-12 and 16 without prejudice.

Please replace the text of claims 3-4, 9-10, 13-15, and 17-19 with the following text:

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3. A multi-monitor, comprising:  
 a first display device having a display screen;  
 a second display device having a display screen smaller than the first display device; and  
 a supporting mechanism which is mountable on an outside portion of the first display device, and supports the second display device rotatably about a first axis and a second axis intersecting the first axis,

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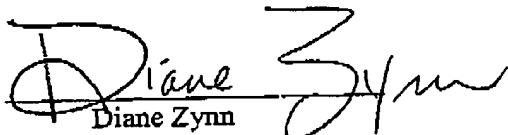
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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